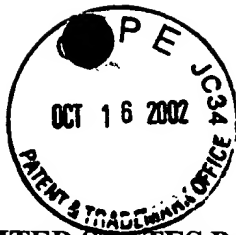


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RESPONSE

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Sir:

The following remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action mailed October 8, 2002.

Claims 2-7 are pending in the application.

In the Office Action, it was contended that the Amendment filed on September 19, 2002 was not fully responsive because it did not contain a marked-up copy of the amended claims. Attached hereto is a copy of the September 19 Amendment, as filed, which contains a marked-up copy of amended claim 2, followed by the Remarks section, and followed by a clean copy of amended claim 2. Note that the last line of the marked-up version of claim 2 contains several words in brackets, denoting Applicant's intention to delete the bracketed words. Applicant believes the September 19 Amendment is fully responsive under 37 C.F.R. 1.111.

To the extent necessary, if any, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted

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Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action
mailed June 19, 2002.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 2 as follows:

2. (Amended) An LCD display device capable of controlling the density of visual
presentation comprising:

an LCD display for providing a visual presentation of output information in the form of
combination of selected segments, the LCD display comprising a predetermined segment
arrangement having a plurality of common terminals connected to its individual segments and a
similar counter segment arrangement having a plurality of segment terminals connected to its